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Drama Society To Present Play By W. G. Hardy

"The Birth of Pity," a play by Dr. W. G. Hardy of the department of classics, will be presented by the Drama society on Tuesday at 4:30 in the Studio Theatre. This will be the society's first production under its new arrangement with the Studio Theatre.

The play is one of a series of '4:30 productions.' The next will not be produced until January.

There will be no admission charge for "The Birth of Pity," as it is being produced by a group of Drama society members separate from the new Studio Theatre-Drama society organization.

RCAF Concert Scheduled Friday

The RCAF Tactical Air Command band is coming to the campus for a return engagement on Nov. 20, at 7:30 p.m. in varsity gym.

The concert is being arranged by UNTD, COTC, and RUS. It will feature different instrumental solos. Added to these selections will be the following instrumental ensembles.

"Roman Carnival Overture," by Hector Berlioz; parts of the opera, "Fantastic," by Berlioz; "Pictures of an Exhibition," by M. Moussorgsky; selections from the opera, "Boris Goudounow," also by Moussorgsky; selections from Debussy's suite, "Children's Corner," and a few movements from Tchaikovsky's "Symphony No. 5."

Research Board Here This Week

Representatives of Canada's defence research board will be on the campus Nov. 19 and 20 to interview students for permanent employment.

To qualify for a position in Canada's defence research program, a student must have the following qualifications:

1. Must be a Canadian citizen or a British subject.
2. Must hold, or be a candidate in 1954 for, an honors degree in science or engineering.
3. Must be genuinely interested in research and development work.
4. Must have a good academic record.

Seasonal employment is also available for science students graduating in 1955 and for engineering students graduating in 1955 and 1956. Interested students should contact university branch of the National Employment Service, Hut H.

LSA Of America President Hjelm To Talk Thursday

Norman Hjelm, international president of the Lutheran Student Association of America, will address students at an open meeting in the Waumeita lounge at 7:30 on Thursday. His topic will be "The task of the Christian in the university".

This meeting is the second joint monthly meeting of the LSA, the student Christian Movement, and the Varsity Christian Fellowship. These combined meetings are an experiment in which the three groups are attempting to compare their programs and to add variety to their individual studies.

VCF was host at the first meeting, held last month and LSA is host at



PART OF THE DRAMA SOCIETY'S "Birth of Pity" cast is seen here shortly before a dress rehearsal. Left to right are: Eleanor Meyer, director; George Romanchuk; Jim Butterfield; Georgette Badoux; and Bernard Beare. "The Birth of Pity" will be presented Tuesday at 4:30.

Lutheran Regional Conference To Be Held Here This Week

Local chapter of the Lutheran Students' Association of America will play host to sister groups from three western provinces at a regional convention here this weekend, Nov. 20 through 22. It will be centred at Calvary Lutheran church at 111 St. and 76 Ave. and Trinity Lutheran at 100 St. and 81 Ave.

Special guests at the conference include Dr. O. K. Storaasli, president of the Lutheran seminary at Saskatoon, and Norman Hjelm, who is president of L.S.A.A. and a graduate of Princeton university, now studying theology at the Augustana Lutheran seminary, Rock Island, Ill.

Other guests include: Rev. Henry Hetland, western secretary, division of student services, Chicago; Rev. W. A. Mehlenbacher, executive director of the Canadian Lutheran council; and Rev. E. J. Treusch, president of the Lutheran college and seminary at Saskatoon.

Delegates Named

Delegates to the convention will come from university and college groups in Saskatoon, Regina, Outlook, Calgary, Camrose, Edmonton, and possibly from Winnipeg and UBC.

Local delegates to the business sessions of the meet are Clara Anteltvedt, Mary Jensen, James Stoltz.

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Toronto Group To Adopt Korean

TORONTO, Ont. (CUP)—Members of Ryerson Circle K clubs are going to adopt a Korean war orphan. Under the plan, some child now in a Korean orphanage will receive from time to time gifts of clothing, toys and candy.

The Circle K is a men's service club similar to the Kiwanis, on a university or college level. Other projects undertaken by the club are a blood donor clinic and helping to run check rooms at dances, with proceeds going to such organizations as community chest.

this month's meeting. In January, these two groups will be guests of the SCM.

Hjelm is a graduate of Princeton university, now studying Theology at Augustana Lutheran Seminary at Rock Island, Illinois. He is visiting the campus for the three-day western regional conference of the LSA, to be held in Edmonton this weekend.

National President of NFCUS To Visit Alberta Campus Soon

Toni Enriquez, national president of the National Federation of University Students, is expected to visit this campus before the end of this month, according to a letter received by R. S. Dinkel, chairman of the Alberta NFCUS committee.

ling students, came under discussion at the meeting. Those wishing to know more about it may contact Dinkel.

The committee meeting was the first of the term. Representatives of the various faculties and of the IFC, Pan-Hellenic, and SCM organizations were present.

Education Panel Slated Wednesday

"Education In Alberta" will be the topic of a meeting of the Philosophical Society to be held November 18 at 8:15 p.m. in room 142, Medical building.

Speakers will include William H. Swift, deputy minister of education for Alberta, Herbert T. Coutts, professor of education at the University of Alberta, William G. Hardy, the university's professor of classics, and Gordon L. Mowat, inspector of schools for Calgary.

The meeting is open to the public, and members of the audience will have an opportunity to discuss the topic.

Admission is 25c. Yearly membership in the Philosophical society costs one dollar.

Supplement, Soft Drinks, Soup To Be Discussed At Council

Designed to replace Stet, a literary supplement to The Gateway will be discussed by Students Council Tuesday night. Stet was recently abolished by Students Council. Allan Cairns, former editor of Stet, feels that the supplement would not be suitable if printed on the same quality paper as used by The Gateway. He will express his views at Tuesday's meeting.

The installation of a soft-drink vending machine will again be discussed by council. An allocation of funds has already been made for a water fountain in the building.

Also to be considered will be the perennial question of an engineer's edition of The Gateway. Gateway senior editors have expressed the feeling that, as the engineer's in past

years have printed their own paper separate from The Gateway, they can do it again this year.

A Gateway committee will be considered by Council to replace the present Gateway advisory commission.

A suggestion has been made that the snack bars serve a "daily soup" just as is served at the university cafeteria. Council, Tuesday will act on this suggestion designed to provide faster and more economical service during the noon rush.

Council will consider a plan restricting the Mixed lounge of the Students Union building to scheduled events only and changing the Men's lounge to a lounge for men and women. Other items, less prominent, complete the agenda for Tuesday's meeting.

CORRECTIONS

Afternoon productions by the Drama society of "The Birth of Pity" begin Tuesday at 4:30 p.m., not at 8 p.m., as previously announced.

The Lutheran Students' association will be hosts to delegates from various western chapters during a three-day convention, Nov. 20, 21 and 22.

The article in the fraternity supplement, "Women's Fraternities: Pro," was written jointly by Miss Flora Morrison and Miss Rita Dixon.

Dr. N. Berkowitz of the Alberta Research Council will address a meeting in room 135, Arts building, on Thursday at 4:30 p.m. His subject will be, "Impressions of Post-War Germany."

Berkowitz is a graduate of the University of London, where he studied physical chemistry.

In 1949 he was a member of the British Intelligence Objective Service group, which made a tour of Europe studying the economic conditions. Later he returned to Germany to lecture at Aachen, Essen, and Frankfurt universities.

Prior to coming to Alberta he was a lecturer at Dunbar university.

Dr. Berkowitz is a member of the British Fabian society and, before coming to Canada, he was chairman of the Hampstead Labor party, which is a Bevinite stronghold.

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Reader Sensationalism

On the front page of The Gateway, Nov. 5, was printed a series of photographs taken at the annual civic banquet. Two of the eight photographs pictured an official of St. Stephen's College supposedly refusing a drink and then accepting it when informed by Mayor Hawrelak that it was (heh-heh) "Prairie Rose."

The whole tone of the picture series was light and whimsical. Surely we who laughed were amused by the captions and by the facial expressions and thought little of any undertones.

A letter published in The Gateway, however, indicates that someone misinterpreted the laughter, and the pictures themselves, as a vicious "slam" at the temperance attitudes of Protestants. The same writer indicates that he is bracing himself for further underhanded digs at Roman Catholics, Jews and Mormons for their respective peculiarities. Balderdash!

Newspaper sensationalism is frowned upon by readers. Similarly it is most discouraging to witness this obvious exhibition of "reader sensationalism" seen in the aforementioned letter.—D.C.

Students Council

Students Council at its last meeting passed an appropriation to construct a water fountain in the Students Union Building. This move, made in response to student suggestions, shows that Council is sensitive to the opinions of the student body.

That the student body is impervious to the workings of council is unfortunately equally evident. Council does not meet in camera; on the contrary it invites students to watch their representatives in action; but every meeting is devoid of spectators.

You may be one of those who have criticised Council in the past, and stand ready to do so again. If so, are you equally ready to come out and examine the way it does business?

The next regular council meeting will be held in the Council chamber, Tuesday evening at 7. You have been invited to attend. Will you?—D.C. and J.N.W.



JACKIE WHITE, an all-star ball handler, will be seen in action with the visiting Harlem Ghost basketball team. The Golden Bears will tackle the colored clowns of the court in the second game of the exhibition series tonight in the university gymnasium. Game time is 8:30.

Convention

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lee, and Ed Mattheis.

The convention will start at Calvary church on Friday with a supper at 5:30. An address by Dr. Storaasli will follow at 8 p.m.

John Lefsrud, president of the Maple Leaf region, stated that a program of interest to the students at large will be a seminar on "Vocation" led by Dr. Storaasli from 11 a.m. to 12:10 on Saturday.

On the same day, International President Norman Hjelm will be the guest speaker at the convention banquet to be held in Trinity Lutheran church starting at 5:30. A special candlelight service will follow at 8 p.m. Banquet tickets are available from Clara Angeltveldt and other members of the local LSA executive.

Radio Broadcast Scheduled

A special feature of the convention will be the Camrose Lutheran College choir, which will sing on a Sunday morning radio broadcast (CFRN, 10:15); morning worship at Calvary, and the final student rally in Trinity church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

The three-day convention is open to the public and to students on the campus. A city tour, luncheons, devotional services, choir practices and the installation of a new regional executive will complete the program outlined above.

The local LSA group is working in cooperation with Pastor Olsen and Pastor Oswald and the congregations of Calvary and Trinity Lutheran churches in completing arrangements. Billeting of delegates is under the direction of Mary Jensen, and anyone wishing to house a student from a distant university or college may contact her by phoning 37109.

Women's Intervarsity Bowlers Try Out Monday, Thursday

By Christie Brown

Tryouts for the Women's intervarsity bowling team will be held at the Scona bowling alleys on Monday and Thursday at 5 p.m. Any girl may enter. The highest scorers will represent the University of Alberta in the forthcoming telegraphic bowling meet.

Last year the University of Saskatchewan topped the field of 14 teams representing universities all across Canada. Gladys McCoy, who is arranging the meet, urges all those interested to come out Monday and Thursday.

Table Tennis

Tuesday's table tennis tournament in the games room, Students Union building, starts at 7:30 p.m. If an entrant is unable to play her game, she will automatically default it. The draws have been posted.

Swim Meet

Don't forget the intramural swim meet Dec. 4. Prospective entrants, if they intend to practise at the YWCA pool, must obtain a completed medical card from the infirmary. Practices will be held on Tuesday nights from 8 to 9 o'clock.

Volleyball

The first section of the volleyball tournament is completed. Thetas and Phys. Ed. are tied for first place. Arts and Science 2 were third.

Each team in the second section plays three games next week, so the present standings may be quite different by playoff time on Nov. 23.

FENCE POLL

At midnight on Dec. 21, 1956, 22.5 students playing ping-pong in the Games Room of the Students Union Building were asked, "Is that a ping-pong ball you are playing with?"

Results were as follows:

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| Yes | 88% |
| Undecided | 02% |
| Total | 90% |
| Experimental Error | 10% |
| Grand Total | 100% |

A breakdown of this figure shows that 88% of those questioned were artsman, 2% were theologs, and 10% were engineers. This indicates that the poll was taken by an artsman.

NO PHYS. ED. FOR BOXERS

Coach Ed Zahar of the boxing club, has announced the first year students may be exempt from physical education by joining the boxing club. The club holds regular workouts four times a week at the university gymnasium.

What Is A College Boy?

(Apologies to Jan Peerce)

From the Queen's Journal

Between the senility of second childhood and the lighthearted lechery of the teens we find a loathsome creature called a college boy. College boys come in assorted sizes, weights, and states of sobriety, but all college boys have the same creed: To do nothing every second of every day and to protest with whining noises (their only weapon) when their last minute of inertia is finished and the adult males pack them off to the employment office or the draft board.

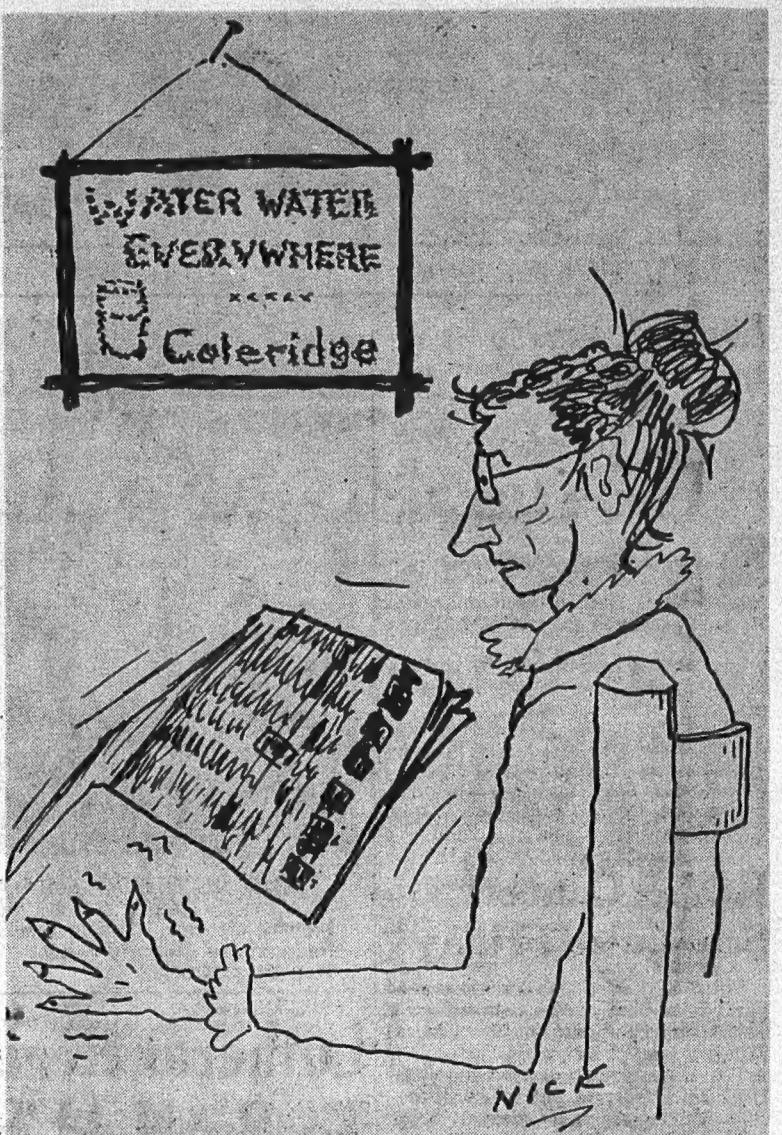
College boys are found everywhere—breaking train windows, tearing down goal posts, inciting riots or jumping bail. Mothers love them, big girls love them, and Satan protects them. A college boy is laziness with peach fuzz on its face, idiocy with lanolin in its hair, and hope of the future with an overdrawn bankbook in its pocket.

A college boy is a composite—he has the energy of Rip Van Winkle, the shyness of a Mr. Micawber, the practicality of a Don Quixote, the kindness of a Marquis de Sade, the imagination of a Bill Sykes, the appetite of a Gargantua, the aspirations of a Casanova, and when he wants something it's usually money.

He likes a good liquor, bad liquor, called classes, double features, Playtex ads, girls and football weekends. He is not much for hopeful mothers, irate fathers, sharp-eyed ushers, alma mater society constables, alarm clocks or letters from the dean.

Nobody is so late to rise or so early to supper. Nobody else gets so much fun out of girls, snooker, or Bright's Catawba. Nobody else can cram into one pocket a slide rule, a Marilyn Monroe calendar, Kant's "Critique of Pure Reason," a collapsible pool cue, an expired liquor license, a Hawaiian ukulele, 39 cents in Italian lire, a Muggsy Spaniel record and a YMCA towel.

A college boy is a magical creature—you can lock him out of your heart but you can't lock him out of your liquor cabinet. You can get him off your mind but you can't get him off your expense account. Might as well give up: he is your jailer, your boss, and your albatross—a bleary-eye, no account, girl-chasing bundle of worry. But when you come home at night with only the shattered pieces of your hopes and dreams, he can make them mighty insignificant with four magic words: "I flunked out, Dad."



Scandal --- The Gateway dominated by liquor interests.